**CHAPTER NO. 308** 

**SENATE BILL NO. 690** 

By Henry, Fowler

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1609

By Fowlkes, Chumney

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 7, Chapter 51 and Title 8.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-33-109, is amended by adding the following language at the end of the section:

After the fifteen (15) working days of full compensation, any public employer may provide partial compensation to its employees while under competent orders.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 28, 2003

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 2003

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